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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
YIXIN ZENG, ET AL. : GROUP ART UNIT: 1795  
SERIAL NO: 10/547,339 :  
FILED: APRIL 18, 2006 : EXAMINER: LEWIS, BEN  
FOR: FUEL CELL AND OXIDANT :  
DISTRIBUTION PLATE FOR FUEL  
CELL

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.